

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Page 3, lines 2 to 8, please amend this paragraph as follows:

--In order to solve the above problems, the present applicant has developed various apparatuses for tightening a reinforcing strip using the principle of a wire grip and methods for tightening a reinforcing strip using the same so that a person can easily and efficiently tighten the above reinforcing strip, and obtained Korean Patent Nos. 302139 and 404128, and Korean Utility Model Registration Nos. 216353, ~~21457~~ 221457, 221903, 223133, and 314862. The above apparatuses and methods are substantially applied to construction sites.--